

Department of Economic Development, Jobs, Transport & Resources

Wildlife and Small Institutions Animal Ethics Committee

Mr Robert McCormack, Australian Crayfish Project, C/-Australian Aquatic Biological P/L, Po Box 3, Karuah, NSW 2324 16-04-2015

Dear Mr McCormack,

The Executive Committee of the Wildlife and Small Institutions Animal Ethics Committee has accepted your reply to the issues concerning application 03.14, "Australian Crayfish Project". The application is approved as of 16-04-2015.

Unexpected deaths, behaviour and injuries to animals and the likely causes must be reported to the AEC as soon as possible. Feedback on problems and successes experienced in the field will contribute to the improvement of standard operating procedures.

You are reminded that all approval is subject to other pertinent licences and permits being current during the conduct of the work. Continuing approval is subject to annual review and submission of an annual report twelve months from the date of approval and each year thereafter for the duration of the project. A final report must be submitted at the conclusion of the project.

Note: The maximum period of animal ethics approval is three years, after which time a new application must be submitted if the work is to continue.

If you have any queries regarding this communication please contact me on 0409 143 538 or via email. All correspondence must include the application number (03.14).

Yours Sincerely

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